# Snow and Ice Control Plan City Of Santa Fe



2020

### Introduction

- Outlines responsibilities for planned and orderly winter maintenance of City owned facilities.
- Provides an understanding of the complexity and difficulties of snow and ice control.
- Summary of procedures, and policies related to snow and ice control.
- Provides for a systematic process for providing safety and mobility of the public.
- Protect the City from unreasonable liability claims.
- Adopted by Council in the fall of 2007.

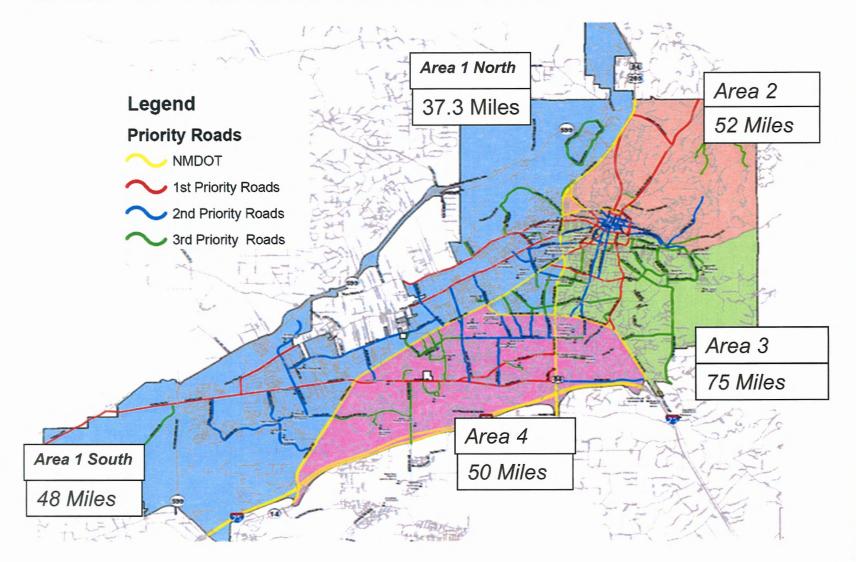
### **Priorities**

- It is not economically or physically feasible to maintain all City streets even with moderate snow falls so prioritization was established.
- Policy is to provide maximum service to arterials, collectors and selected streets comprising the basic network.
- Intent is to safely move the majority of the City's traffic on major roads and to provide access to police, fire stations, hospitals, major medical facilities, senior centers, and schools.

### Areas

- Divided into five geographical areas to facilitate an orderly approach.
- Under ideal conditions, when all equipment is up and running, one (1) sanding units will be assigned to each area.
- Sanding or plowing when applicable will be done in order of priority, i.e., Priority 1 through 3.
- Typically, we expect to have some down equipment during storms but spare trucks are getting repaired and ready for use.
- Typically takes 3 hours to cover all priority areas once the storm ends.

## Snow Removal Areas



## **Hot Spots**

Hot Spots	Date			
ID Street		Area	Completed	Driver
Paseo De Vista (Cruzitas) - Alamo to Dump		1		
2 Calle Nopal		1		
Rincon de Torreon		11		
4 Sierra Vista		11		
5 Cristobal Colon (hill)		11	10.440.00	
6 Calle Mejia (Off Alamo Drive)		1		
Jaquar Drive (Hill at the Fire Station)		1 South		
8 Cerro Gordo / Palace Ave		2		
Cam. De La Luz (Paved Portion)/De Lora/Cam. C	erritos	2	-	
Gonzales Rd./Cerro Gordo/E. Alameda St.		2		
11 Cerro Colorados		2		
Apodaca Hill (at Upper Canyon Road)		2		
13 Sierra Del Norte		2		
14 Harkle Rd - Near Hospital Drive		3		
15 Early St		3		
16 Garcia St		3		
Espejo /Old Pecos Trail Intersection		3		
Calle Medico (Off Old Pecos Trail)		3		
Galisteo Street (between W San Mateo & Cordova	a)	3		
Hospital Dr. (Off of St. Michaels Drive)		3		
21 Don Diego @ Cerrillos Road Intersection		3		
22 Camino Cabra		3		
23 Cam Cruz Blanca/Calle Picacho/Cam De Monte S	Sol intersection	3		
24 Camino Consuelo / Siringo Rd Intersection		4		
La Resolana / Siringo Rd Intersection		4		
Zia Rd @St Francis Dr (EBL near track).		4		

## Ice Removal

### Central Business District (CC)

CTDEET NAME		1 18 417	
STREET NAME		LIMIT	
<ol> <li>Palace Ave</li> </ol>	Paseo De Peralta	to	Sandoval
<ol><li>Lincoln Ave</li></ol>	Federal	to	Palace Ave
<ol><li>Sheridan Ave</li></ol>	Marcy Ave	to	Palace Ave
<ol><li>Washington Ave</li></ol>	Paseo De Peralta	to	Palace Ave
<ol><li>San Francisco St</li></ol>	Sandoval	to	Cathedral Pl
<ol><li>Cathedral P1</li></ol>	Palace Ave	to	East Alameda
7. Water St	Sandoval	to	Cathedral P1
<ol><li>De Vargas St</li></ol>	Galisteo	to	Paseo De Peralta
<ol><li>Manhattan Ave</li></ol>	Cerrillos Rd	to	Paseo De Peralta
10. Garfield	Guadalupe	to	Sandoval
11. Aztec St	Guadalupe	to	Sandoval
12. Galisteo	San Francisco	to	E Alameda
13. Don Gaspar Ave	San Francisco	to	Alameda
14. Marcy St	Grant Ave	to	Hillside Ave
15. Grant Ave	Sandoval	to	Paseo De Peralta
16. Old Santa Fe Trail	Water St	to	Palace Ave
17. Canyon Rd	Paseo De Peralta	to	Camino Del Monte Sol
18. Johnson St	Guadalupe	to	Grant Ave
19. Kearny	Entire Length		
20. Nusbaum	Washington	to	Otero
21. Mercer St	St Francis Dr	to	Onate St
22. Zia Rd.	Cam Carlos Rey	to	St Francis Dr
23. Agua Fria	La Madera	to	Guadalupe St

## Santa Fe School Routes

School	Street	Snow Map Area
Accessic Modes Flamoutous	Ann aviin Mandan	A 2
Acequia Madre Elementary	Acequia Madre	Area 3
Aspen Vista School	La Madera	Area 1
Alvord Elementary	Alarid Street	Area 3
Atalaya Elementary	Camino Cabra	Area 3
Academy	Cerrillos Road	Area 4
Camino Real K thru 8	South Meadows	Area 1
Capital High School	Paseo del Sol	Area 1
Capshaw Middle School	W. Zia Road	Area 4
Carlos Gilbert Elementary	Griffin Street	Area 2
Cesar Chavez Elementary	Jaguar Drive	Area 1
Chaparral Elementary	Avenida Chaparral	Area 4
College Of Santa Fe	St Michaels Dr / Siringo Rd	Area 4
De Vargas Middle School	Llano Road	Area 4
E.J. Martinez Elementary	W. San Mateo	Area 3
Gonzales Elementary	West Alameda	Area 1
H.E.C. (College Of Santa Fe)	Alumni Dr / Siringo Rd	Area 4
Kearny Elementary	Avenida de las Campanas	Area 4
Monte Del Sol	Walking Rain Road	Area 4
Nava Elementary School	Siringo Road	Area 4
Nina Otero K thru 8	Herrera Dr	Area 1
NM School for the Deaf	Cerrillos Road	Area 1
Ortiz Middle School	South Meadows	Area 1
Pinon Elementary School	Camino Los Caballos	Area 4
Ramirez Thomas Elementary	Rufina	Area 1
Salazar Elementary School	Apache Ave/Rosina St	Area 1
Santa Fe High School	Yucca Road	Area 4
Santa Fe Indian School	Cerrillos Road	Area 1
St Michaels High School	Siringo Road	Area 4
Sweeney Elementary School	Airport Road	Area 1
Wood Gormley Elementary	E Booth Street	Area 2

## Storm Class

### Snow/Ice Condition Classification (Storm Class):

Storm Class	Street Conditions
Α	Freezing rain, "black ice" or trace of snow with freezing temperature
В	1" to 2" accumulation
С	2" to 12" accumulation
D	12" to 24" accumulation
E	>24" Emergency

### Level of Service

Storm Cla	assification	Α	В	С	D	E
Street Priority	Map Line Color					
1	Red	2	3	4	5	5
2	Blue	2	3	4	4	5
3	Green	2	3	4	4	4
4	All Other	1	1	1	1	1

### Key for treatment Levels:

- 1. Do nothing except for known problem spots, i.e., steep grades, hazardous intersections, hilly terrain, etc. Treatment level is application of cinder/salt mixture on paved streets and grading of graveled surfaced streets.
- 2. Apply cinder/salt mixture intermittently, covering "hot spots" and major intersections.
- 3. Apply cinder/salt mixture uniformly.
- 4. Plow intermittently and apply cinder/salt mixture.
- 5. Plow repeatedly and apply cinder/salt mixture.

## Scoria (Lava Rock) and Rock Salt

• A combination of scoria (lava rock) and rock salt is mixed at a 4-1 ratio, four parts scoria to one part rock salt.

 Ice Slicer used for extreme icy conditions and temperatures below 20 degrees mixed at a 2-1 ratio.

### Time Line Schedule

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#### **AUGUST**

Order Rock Salt, Sand (Scoria)
Confirm Inventory of Equipment and Supplies for Snow Removal
Confirm Bid Contracts and Purchase Orders for Snow Removal items

### SEPTEMBER

Pre - Snow Emergency Department / Division Meeting Prepare Draft of Snow Emergency Plan Confirm valid CDL list Confirm Snow Removal Routes Confirm Status of Fleet Vehicles

#### OCTOBER - NOVEMBER

Verification of Snow Emergency Contact Phone List
Verification Fleet Vehicle & CDL Drivers readiness
Verification of Snow Removal Routes, Locations, and Staff
Submit Snow Emergency Plan
Tour Siler Road Facilities
Conduct a practice run of the snow and ice plan.
Review the plan, train employees, and incorporate new streets,
Locate snow plow obstacles and hazards within their routes.

### DECEMBER

As conditions dictate - Snow Command Meeting & Debriefing

### **JANUARY**

As conditions dictate - Snow Command Meeting & Debriefing

#### **FEBRUARY**

As conditions dictate - Snow Command Meeting & Debriefing

### MARCH - APRIL

Final Snow Emergency Meeting & Debriefing

## Challenges

- Aged Equipment Repairs to equipment take time
- Training new employees
- Expanding responsibilities with smaller work forces
- Timing of the storms
- Plows are sometimes stuck in Traffic
- Low temperatures

## NMDOT Maintained Roadways

NM 599 Relief Route	St. Francis Dr.	to	NM 14
Cerrillos Rd	St. Francis Dr.	to	City Limits (West End)
St. Michael's Dr.	Cerrillos Rd	to	OldPecos Trail
St. Francis Dr.	Interstate 25	to	US 285
Paseo De Peralta	St Francis Dr	to	Bishops Lodge
OldPecosTrail	St. Michaels Dr	to	Rodeo Rd
Hyde Park Rd	Bishops Lodge	to	City Limits
North Guadalupe	Paseo De Peralta	to	US 285

- NMDOT is responsible for snow removal on these roads.
- NMDOT District 5 Radio 505-795-0825
- NMDOT Statewide Communications 505-827-9325
- NMDOT works 24/7 for snow removal.
- City Units will not be plowing these roadways unless approval is granted from the Mayor or City Manager.